



for Digital Inclusion

Annual Report 2025





Reusing IT

Trustees' Annual Report

For the Year Ended 31 October 2025

Executive Summary

The year ended 31 October 2025 has been one of innovation, growth and increasing impact for Reusing IT. Throughout the year the charity continued to pursue its charitable objectives by extending the useful life of information technology equipment and ensuring that high-quality refurbished computers reached individuals, schools and communities that would otherwise struggle to access digital technology.

Operating in an environment where digital inclusion has become increasingly recognised as a social necessity, Reusing IT has demonstrated that environmental sustainability and social benefit can be achieved simultaneously. Every computer successfully refurbished and reused represents both an opportunity created for an individual or community and a reduction in electronic waste entering the recycling or disposal stream.

During the year the charity made significant progress in supporting education in Ukraine, where the continuing effects of conflict have created exceptional challenges for schools and pupils. Through collaboration with the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine and other established humanitarian partners, Reusing IT supplied refurbished computer equipment to schools operating under difficult and often dangerous conditions. Of particular significance was the successful development of customised thin-client computers capable of supporting modern educational software, enabling thousands of devices previously considered unsuitable for reuse to be repurposed for classroom use.

Alongside its international work, the charity strengthened its contribution to addressing digital exclusion within the United Kingdom. Drawing upon more than twenty years of practical experience, Reusing IT increasingly engaged with policy discussions, research initiatives and collaborative partnerships designed to improve digital access whilst promoting the environmental benefits of technology reuse. The launch of the Inclusivity.info knowledge platform, participation in the NextPath Device Consortium and publication of a practical blueprint for reducing digital exclusion demonstrated the charity's growing influence beyond its operational activities.



Public recognition of the charity's work also increased during the year through media coverage, documentary production and participation in industry forums, helping to raise awareness of both digital exclusion and the role that sustainable technology reuse can play in addressing it.

The Trustees are proud of the achievements made during the year and wish to express their sincere appreciation to the charity's volunteers, donors, supporters and partner organisations whose continued commitment has made this work possible.

Chair's Foreword

The past year has demonstrated more clearly than ever that access to technology is no longer a luxury but an essential requirement for education, employment and participation in modern society.

For Reusing IT, this understanding continues to shape every aspect of our work. We believe that perfectly usable technology should never become waste simply because it has reached the end of its first commercial life. Instead, through careful refurbishment, technical innovation and the dedication of our volunteers, equipment can continue to deliver significant educational, social and environmental benefits for many years.

Throughout 2024–2025 we have continued supporting schools across Ukraine as they strive to maintain education under exceptionally challenging circumstances. The resilience shown by teachers, pupils and our partner organisations has been truly inspiring. Knowing that equipment refurbished by our volunteers is helping young people continue their education despite conflict remains one of the strongest motivations for everyone involved with the charity.

This year has also been notable for the charity's increasing role within the wider digital inclusion community. Reusing IT is no longer simply an organisation that refurbishes computers; it is increasingly recognised as an organisation that contributes practical solutions, technical expertise and strategic thinking to national discussions concerning digital exclusion and sustainable technology reuse.

Our work repurposing enterprise thin-client computers provides an excellent example of this approach. By developing new methods of extending the life of equipment previously regarded as obsolete, we have demonstrated that innovation can produce both environmental and humanitarian benefits. Thousands of additional computers are now available for education because our volunteers refused to accept that these devices had reached the end of their useful lives.



None of this would have been possible without the remarkable commitment shown by our volunteers, trustees, supporters and partner organisations. Their knowledge, enthusiasm and generosity continue to transform redundant equipment into opportunities for individuals and communities across the UK and overseas.

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I extend my sincere thanks to everyone who has supported Reusing IT during the past year. Together we continue to demonstrate that technology reuse can deliver lasting benefits for people, communities and the environment.

About Reusing IT

Reusing IT is a Scottish registered charity established to reduce digital exclusion through the refurbishment and redistribution of information technology equipment while promoting the environmental benefits of technology reuse.

The charity works with businesses, public sector organisations, educational institutions and community groups to collect redundant computer equipment that remains suitable for further use. Following secure data destruction, technical testing and refurbishment, equipment is supplied to schools, charities and community organisations where access to reliable digital technology can make a meaningful difference to educational opportunity, employability and social inclusion.

Alongside its practical refurbishment activities, the charity promotes greater understanding of the environmental and social value of extending the operational life of IT equipment. Through collaboration with industry partners, educational organisations and government bodies, Reusing IT seeks to encourage wider adoption of circular economy principles and demonstrate that refurbishment represents a practical and sustainable alternative to premature recycling or disposal.

The charity's work supports several interconnected charitable outcomes:

- reducing digital exclusion by improving access to affordable technology;
- supporting education through the provision of refurbished computing equipment;
- reducing environmental impact by extending product lifecycles;
- promoting sustainable resource management;
- encouraging collaboration between businesses, charities and educational organisations.



Although headquartered in Scotland, the charity's work increasingly extends beyond national boundaries through partnerships supporting educational development and humanitarian assistance overseas.

Objectives and Activities

The Trustees have continued to direct the charity's activities towards achieving its charitable purposes by maximising the social and environmental value of donated information technology equipment.

During the year the principal objectives were to:

- increase the volume of computer equipment successfully refurbished and reused;
- continue supporting educational establishments in Ukraine through the provision of refurbished computing equipment;
- reduce digital exclusion within Scotland and the wider United Kingdom;
- strengthen partnerships with organisations sharing similar charitable objectives;
- develop innovative technical solutions capable of extending the useful life of equipment traditionally regarded as obsolete;
- increase public awareness of sustainable technology reuse and the circular economy.

Progress against these objectives has been achieved through a combination of technical innovation, volunteer commitment and collaborative working with partners across the public, private and charitable sectors.

In addition to continuing its established refurbishment activities, the charity increasingly contributed to wider discussions concerning digital inclusion, environmental sustainability and the role of refurbished technology in supporting education. This reflects an important evolution in Reusing IT's role from being solely an operational charity to becoming an organisation recognised for its practical expertise and thought leadership within the technology reuse sector.



Public Benefit

The Trustees have considered the guidance issued by the Office of the Scottish Charity Regulator regarding public benefit and are satisfied that all activities undertaken during the year directly furthered the charity's purposes.

The charity provides public benefit by increasing access to reliable computer equipment for individuals and organisations who would otherwise experience barriers to digital participation. This includes supporting schools, charities and community groups through the provision of professionally refurbished equipment, while simultaneously reducing the environmental impact associated with electronic waste.

The benefits delivered by the charity extend beyond the immediate recipients of computer equipment. By extending product lifecycles, reducing demand for new manufacturing and promoting sustainable resource management, Reusing IT contributes to broader environmental objectives while encouraging greater understanding of circular economy principles.

The Trustees remain satisfied that every activity undertaken throughout the reporting period has delivered measurable public benefit consistent with the charity's governing purposes.

Review of Activities and Achievements

Supporting Education in Ukraine

Support for education in Ukraine continued to represent the charity's largest international programme throughout the reporting period. Now entering its fourth year of responding to the humanitarian consequences of the conflict, Reusing IT remained committed to ensuring that children and young people continued to have access to reliable digital technology despite the ongoing disruption to normal education.

Working alongside trusted partners including the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine, the Educational Initiatives Foundation, Yorkshire Aid and local educational authorities, the charity continued to supply refurbished computers, monitors and associated equipment to schools across the country. These long-established partnerships remain fundamental to the charity's approach, ensuring equipment reaches those schools where it will achieve the greatest educational benefit while providing assurance that donated resources are distributed efficiently and transparently.



The Trustees recognise that the educational challenges faced by Ukrainian schools extend far beyond replacing damaged equipment. Frequent disruption to electricity supplies, damaged infrastructure and continuing security concerns require schools to demonstrate remarkable resilience and adaptability. Access to dependable computer equipment has therefore become increasingly important in maintaining continuity of learning, supporting hybrid teaching methods and enabling pupils to access educational resources under exceptionally difficult circumstances.

The charity's response throughout the year reflected this changing environment. Rather than simply supplying refurbished computers, Reusing IT increasingly focused on providing solutions specifically designed to meet the practical requirements of schools operating under wartime conditions.

Technical Innovation – Repurposing Thin Clients

One of the most significant achievements during the year was the successful development of a process for repurposing enterprise thin-client computers into fully functioning educational workstations.

Large organisations routinely replace thousands of thin-client devices as part of scheduled technology refresh programmes. Although these systems are generally considered unsuitable for conventional reuse because of their limited storage capacity and specialist operating environments, the Trustees believed that there remained significant untapped potential within this equipment.

Following approximately six months of technical development and testing, Reusing IT volunteer Andrew Stroeve successfully developed a customised implementation of the Ubuntu operating system capable of transforming these devices into practical desktop computers suitable for everyday educational use.

The resulting systems provide rapid start-up times, web browsing, office productivity software and multimedia capability whilst maintaining low power consumption and high reliability. Importantly, the solution allows equipment that would otherwise have entered the waste stream to continue delivering meaningful social benefit.

The project represents a significant technical milestone for the charity. Approximately 5,000 repurposed thin clients successfully completed testing and quality assurance before entering the deployment programme for Ukrainian schools.

This innovation demonstrates one of Reusing IT's defining characteristics: a willingness to challenge assumptions regarding what constitutes obsolete technology. Rather than accepting that equipment had reached the end of its useful



life, volunteers developed an innovative engineering solution that both increased the charity's capacity and reduced electronic waste.

From the Trustees' perspective, this initiative exemplifies how technical expertise, creativity and volunteer commitment can substantially increase the social value derived from donated equipment.

Suggested image: Volunteer configuring customised thin-client systems.

Supporting Learning in Protected Classrooms

As the conflict in Ukraine continued, many schools were required to adapt their teaching environments to protect pupils and staff from the continuing risk of missile attacks.

During the year Reusing IT supplied refurbished monitors and computing equipment specifically for classrooms established within underground shelters. These facilities enable schools to continue delivering education during periods of heightened security risk while providing a safer learning environment for pupils.

The Trustees were particularly encouraged by feedback from educational partners demonstrating how refurbished equipment is helping schools maintain continuity of learning under extremely challenging circumstances. Access to reliable computers enables teachers to prepare lessons, pupils to access online educational resources and schools to maintain communication with educational authorities despite ongoing disruption.

Although the charity's contribution represents only one part of a much wider humanitarian response, the Trustees remain proud that equipment refurbished by volunteers in Scotland is helping children continue their education at a time when normal schooling has been profoundly affected by conflict.

This work continues to reinforce the charity's belief that access to technology should be regarded as an essential educational resource rather than an optional extra.

Strengthening International Partnerships

The Trustees recognise that collaboration remains central to Reusing IT's success. Throughout the year the charity continued strengthening relationships with organisations sharing its commitment to educational opportunity, sustainability and humanitarian assistance.



A particularly significant development was the expansion of the charity's partnership with Litehaus International. Bringing together complementary expertise in technology, logistics and educational development, the partnership demonstrates the benefits of collaborative working in achieving greater impact than could be delivered by individual organisations acting alone.

The charity also continued working closely with Yorkshire Aid, whose logistical expertise has played an important role in transporting refurbished equipment to Ukraine, together with the Educational Initiatives Foundation and the Ministry of Education and Science of Ukraine.

These partnerships provide assurance that equipment donated to Reusing IT reaches its intended destination safely and effectively while enabling the charity to focus on its principal strengths of refurbishment, technical innovation and quality assurance.

The Trustees believe that the continued development of strong international partnerships will remain fundamental to the charity's future success and will enable Reusing IT to respond effectively to changing educational and humanitarian needs.

Communicating Impact – The *Silent Night* Documentary

The Trustees recognise that effective communication plays an important role in sustaining public support for the charity's work.

During the year Reusing IT participated in the production and release of the *Silent Night* documentary, highlighting the educational challenges faced by Ukrainian schools together with the practical contribution made through the refurbishment and reuse of donated computer equipment.

The documentary provided an opportunity to demonstrate not only the technical aspects of the charity's work but, more importantly, the human impact of providing access to reliable technology. By presenting the experiences of teachers, pupils and partner organisations, the film illustrated how refurbished computers contribute directly to educational resilience during periods of prolonged conflict.

The Trustees believe that communicating these stories is essential in helping supporters understand the importance of technology reuse. Every donated computer represents far more than an item of equipment; it provides an opportunity for learning, communication and hope for those whose education has been disrupted by circumstances beyond their control.



The positive response received following the documentary's release also helped raise awareness of the wider environmental benefits associated with extending the operational life of computer equipment, reinforcing one of the charity's central messages that reuse should always be considered before recycling or disposal.

Delivering Sustainable Humanitarian Support

The activities undertaken throughout the year demonstrate that Reusing IT's approach to international development extends beyond the redistribution of computer equipment.

By combining technical innovation, environmental sustainability and long-term partnerships, the charity has continued developing a model of support that delivers practical educational benefits while reducing electronic waste and promoting circular economy principles.

The Trustees believe that this integrated approach distinguishes Reusing IT from many traditional equipment donation programmes. Through careful refurbishment, secure data destruction, quality assurance and technical adaptation, equipment that has completed its commercial life can continue providing value for many years in educational settings where access to reliable technology remains limited.

This philosophy continues to guide the charity's work and provides a strong foundation for future development as Reusing IT seeks to expand both its environmental and humanitarian impact.

Promoting Digital Inclusion and Sector Leadership

Addressing Digital Exclusion in the United Kingdom

While international humanitarian work remained a major focus throughout the year, the Trustees also continued to strengthen the charity's contribution to tackling digital exclusion within the United Kingdom.

Digital access is now fundamental to participation in modern society. Education, employment, healthcare, banking and public services increasingly depend upon reliable access to digital technology and the internet. Despite this, many individuals and families continue to face barriers through lack of suitable equipment, affordability or digital confidence.

Drawing upon more than two decades of practical experience in refurbishing and redistributing information technology, Reusing IT continued demonstrating that



professionally refurbished computers provide an effective, affordable and environmentally responsible solution to many aspects of digital exclusion.

The Trustees believe that refurbishment should be recognised as an integral part of national digital inclusion strategies. Extending the operational life of existing equipment not only increases access to technology but also significantly reduces the environmental impact associated with manufacturing replacement devices.

Throughout the year the charity continued to work with schools, community organisations, local authorities and charitable partners to promote practical solutions capable of increasing digital participation whilst supporting wider environmental objectives.

From Practical Delivery to Thought Leadership

One of the most significant developments during the reporting period was the charity's increasing contribution to strategic discussions surrounding digital inclusion and sustainable technology reuse.

Historically, Reusing IT has been recognised primarily for its operational expertise in collecting, refurbishing and redistributing computers. During 2024–2025 the organisation increasingly shared this practical knowledge through publications, collaborative projects, conferences and public engagement.

This reflects a natural progression in the charity's development. Having accumulated extensive experience over many years, Reusing IT is now well placed to contribute evidence-based recommendations to organisations seeking practical and sustainable approaches to reducing digital exclusion.

Rather than advocating continual replacement of computer equipment, the charity has consistently demonstrated that extending product lifecycles through refurbishment offers significant social, educational and environmental advantages.

The Trustees welcome this increasing recognition of Reusing IT's expertise and believe it provides important opportunities to influence future policy whilst remaining firmly focused on the charity's core charitable objectives.



Launch of Inclusivity.info

During the year the charity launched **Inclusivity.info**, a dedicated online knowledge platform bringing together information, practical guidance and examples of good practice relating to digital inclusion.

The website was developed to support organisations, educators, community groups and decision makers seeking practical approaches to improving digital access. By making the charity's accumulated knowledge freely available, Reusing IT has extended its educational role beyond the direct provision of refurbished equipment.

The Trustees consider this an important strategic development. Sharing knowledge enables the charity to influence practice well beyond the organisations that receive equipment directly, encouraging wider adoption of sustainable technology reuse and helping others develop effective digital inclusion initiatives.

The platform also demonstrates the charity's commitment to collaboration. Addressing digital exclusion requires coordinated action involving government, business, education and the voluntary sector. Providing open access to practical knowledge supports that collective effort while reinforcing Reusing IT's role as a trusted source of expertise.

www.inclusivity.info

Developing Practical Solutions – A Blueprint for Digital Inclusion

Building upon its operational experience, the charity published a practical blueprint outlining how digital exclusion within the United Kingdom could be addressed through more effective reuse of information technology.

The publication argued that digital inclusion should not rely solely upon the purchase of new equipment. Instead, significant social benefit can be achieved by extending the useful life of existing devices through secure refurbishment, redistribution and ongoing technical support.

Drawing upon evidence gained through many years of practical delivery, the blueprint identified opportunities for stronger collaboration between businesses, public sector organisations, educational institutions and charities to maximise the social value of redundant technology.



The Trustees believe this publication represents an important contribution to national discussions surrounding digital inclusion. Rather than presenting theoretical recommendations, it reflects practical experience gained through thousands of successful refurbishments and deployments undertaken by Reusing IT over many years.

The blueprint also reinforces the charity's long-standing belief that environmental sustainability and social inclusion should be viewed as complementary objectives. Every computer successfully reused represents both reduced electronic waste and increased opportunity for an individual, school or community.

Participation in the NextPath Device Consortium

The charity continued expanding its collaborative activities through participation in the NextPath Device Consortium, bringing together organisations committed to improving access to technology through sustainable reuse.

Participation in the consortium enabled Reusing IT to contribute practical experience while learning from organisations working in complementary areas of digital inclusion and circular economy development.

The Trustees recognise that many of the challenges associated with digital exclusion require collaborative rather than individual solutions. By participating in national and international partnerships, the charity is able to contribute its expertise while helping develop common standards and shared approaches capable of increasing the impact of technology reuse.

The consortium also provides valuable opportunities to demonstrate the effectiveness of Reusing IT's refurbishment model and encourages wider recognition of refurbishment as an essential component of sustainable technology management.

Raising Awareness Through Public Engagement

Increasing public awareness remained an important element of the charity's work throughout the year.

Media coverage by STV provided an opportunity to demonstrate how refurbished technology contributes simultaneously to educational opportunity, environmental sustainability and community resilience. The feature highlighted the practical work undertaken by volunteers and illustrated the continuing demand for affordable, high-quality computer equipment.



The Trustees were particularly encouraged by the positive response received following the broadcast, which increased public understanding of both digital exclusion and the importance of extending the useful life of technology.

Laptops from Scotland keeping education alive for Ukrainian children

The far-reaching impact of Reusing IT's work was the subject of a feature on STV's Scotland Tonight this week. We're delighted with the programme which perfectly captures the scope of our work, its life-changing impact and the driving energy of everyone involved with Reusing IT.

The 14 minute programme covers our powerful reuse ethos, our work in Scotland during the Covid lockdowns, and current participation in the Ukrainian Government's Unbreakable Education programme – where we are the fourth largest donor of devices keeping children safe and educated in the war zone. It highlights the essential role of our passionate volunteers, and the less obvious but equally important symbiotic relationship we have prisoners participating in a rehabilitation programme at HMP Barlinnie.

Thank you to STV for so clearly highlighting the crucial work of our small charity!

Watch it here:

<https://www.reusingit.org/reusing-it-featured-on-stvs-scotland-tonight/>

These media opportunities have helped strengthen the charity's reputation while encouraging businesses and organisations to consider donating equipment for refurbishment rather than recycling it prematurely.

Environmental Sustainability

Environmental responsibility continues to underpin every aspect of Reusing IT's activities.

Every computer successfully refurbished represents valuable raw materials, manufacturing effort and embedded carbon that would otherwise be lost if equipment were prematurely recycled or discarded. By extending operational lifecycles, the charity contributes directly to reducing electronic waste while promoting more sustainable use of finite natural resources.

The technical innovation achieved during the year through repurposing enterprise thin clients further demonstrates the environmental potential of refurbishment.



Equipment previously regarded as obsolete has been transformed into practical educational computers capable of delivering many additional years of service.

The Trustees believe this achievement illustrates an important principle that will continue to shape the charity's future work: technology should only become waste once every realistic opportunity for continued use has been fully explored.

As awareness of environmental sustainability continues to grow, Reusing IT remains well positioned to demonstrate that reuse represents both an environmentally responsible and socially beneficial approach to technology management.

Looking Beyond Equipment

The Trustees believe that the charity's work increasingly extends beyond the refurbishment of computers.

Through technical innovation, partnership working, public engagement and policy development, Reusing IT has become an organisation capable of influencing wider thinking about digital inclusion and sustainable technology reuse.

While the practical refurbishment and redistribution of equipment will always remain central to the charity's mission, the knowledge and experience gained over many years now enables Reusing IT to contribute more broadly to national and international discussions concerning education, sustainability and the circular economy.

This broader role will continue to complement the charity's operational activities while ensuring that its experience benefits a much wider range of organisations and communities than would be possible through equipment redistribution alone.

Income and Expenditure Summary

Income

Reuse (Laser Printers and Server Sales, PC's to WLC)	£62,133.50
Website Sponsor (Phil Scott)	£3,000.00
Donations (Smith Trust, Other Donors)	£32,217.19
Silent Night Ukraine Film Screening	£1,822.96
Interest from savings account	£1,982.97
Total Income	£105,240.62



Expense

Bank Charges	£179.02
Broadband	£1,129.21
Collections/Fuel	£5,004.27
Consumables	£826.68
Conferences	£0.00
Electricity	£1,728.63
Hardware (Computer Parts)	£10,463.07
Infrastructure (Shelving and Racking)	£1,615.60
Income Tax	£829.49
Insurances	£785.89
Logistics (Shipping to Ukraine)	£12,228.16
Marketing (Silent Night Screening, Private Eye)	£3,320.96
Packaging	£4,485.16
Postage	£157.78
Registrations	£86.00
Rent	£24,786.08
Salary	£9,185.73
Software (Windows 11)	£0.00
Stationery	£0.00
Storage (10ft and 20ft Containers)	£330.40
Tools	£686.06
Travel	£4,116.88
Ukraine Yorkshire Aid	£0.00



Vehicle	£872.00
Volunteers / Catering	£2,225.87
Volunteers /Work Wear	£443.41
Website	£2,317.25
Total Expense	£86,320.76



Donations Summary

Computers donations for the year totalled to 4,887. It brings the total number of computers donated since 1999 to 50,281.

Organisation	Number of desktops / laptops
Argyle and Bute Social Care Partnership	1 Laptop
Computers for Africa	100 Desktops
Castellan African Trust	20 Laptops
Collydean Community Centre	6 Desktops
Cosmos After School Club	1 Laptop
Les Wilson WLC Social Work	2 Laptops
ENRGI Fife	1 Laptop
Falkirk Foundation	12 Laptops
High School of Glasgow	150 Desktops
Jordan Hill School	67 Desktops
East Calder Primary c/o Mear Technology	21 Laptops
Mellon Education c/o Jon Kelly	20 Laptops
Phil Scott for Harrogate Families	3 Laptops
RE-ACT	23 Laptops
Renfrewshire Council Social Services	10 Laptops
Reseed Sierra Leon	11 Laptops
Rhoda Calder	1 Laptop
Ruby Adams for Africa	3 Laptops
St Margaret's School Livingston	3 Laptops
West Lothian Access 2 Employment	75 Laptops
Ukraine Ministry of Education "Unbreakable Education"	4357 Desktops



Total	4,887
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Argyle and Bute Social Care Partnership

1 Laptop

<https://www.argyll-bute.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/health-and-social-care-partnership>

Computers for Africa

100 Desktops

<https://cfa.webmate.me/CFA/Welcome.html>

Castellan African Trust

20 laptops

<https://castellanafricantrust.co.uk/>

Collydean Community Centre

6 Desktops

<https://www.fva.org/directory.asp?id=00124000008ncjB>

Cosmos After School Club

1 Laptop

<https://www.cosmoscentre.org.uk/Index.asp?MainID=27241>

Les Wilson WLC Social Work

2 Laptops

<https://uk.linkedin.com/in/les-wilson-46738a174>



Energi Charity Fife

1 Laptop

<https://www.energi.org.uk/>

Falkirk Foundation

12 Laptops

<https://falkirkfoundation.org/>

Mellon Education c/o Jon Kelly

20 Laptops

<https://melloneducate.com/>

Renfrewshire Council Social Services

10 Laptops

<https://www.renfrewshire.hscp.scot/article/5040/Adult-Social-Care>

Reseed Sierra Leone

11 Laptops

<https://reseed.org.uk/>

Refugee Action Now

23 Laptops

https://www.re-act-scotland.org/about_us



The High School of Glasgow

150 Desktops

<https://www.oscr.org.uk/about-charities/search-the-register/charity-details?number=sc014768>

Jordan Hill School

67 Desktops

<https://www.oscr.org.uk/about-charities/search-the-register/charity-details?number=sc004463>

West Lothian Access 2 Employment

75 Laptops

<https://www.westlothian.gov.uk/article/33160/Access2Employment>

Ukraine Ministry of Education

4,357 Desktops

www.dcoalition.org.ua



Sign Off Annual Report

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Ross Cockburn – Managing Director

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John Patchett – Company Secretary

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John Reid – Director of Software



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Section A Statement of financial activities

Recommended categories by activity	Details of own analysis	Note	Restricted			Total this year	Total last year
			Unrestricted funds	income funds	Endowment funds		
			£	£	£	£	£
			F01	F02	F03	F04	F05
Incoming resources (Note 3)							
Incoming resources from generated funds			-	-	-	-	-
Voluntary income		S01	40,696	-	-	40,696	36,359
Activities for generating funds		S02	62,557	-	-	62,557	33,940
Investment income		S03	3,543	-	-	3,543	4,738
Incoming resources from charitable activities		S04	-	-	-	-	-
Other incoming resources		S05	-	-	-	-	-
Total incoming resources		S06	106,796	-	-	106,796	75,037
Resources expended (Notes 4-8)							
Costs of Generating Funds			-	-	-	-	-
Costs of generating voluntary income		S07	-	-	-	-	-
Fundraising trading costs		S08	91,725	-	-	91,725	81,099
Investment management costs		S09	-	-	-	-	-
Charitable activities		S10	-	-	-	-	-
Governance costs		S11	-	-	-	-	-
Other resources expended		S12	-	-	-	-	-
Total resources expended		S13	91,725	-	-	91,725	81,099
Net incoming/(outgoing) resources before transfers		S14	15,071	-	-	15,071	- 6,062
Gross transfers between funds		S15	-	-	-	-	-
Net incoming/(outgoing) resources before other recognised gains/(losses)		S16	15,071	-	-	15,071	- 6,062
Other recognised gains/(losses)							
Gains and losses on revaluation of fixed assets for the charity's own use		S17	-	-	-	-	-
Gains and losses on investment assets		S18	-	-	-	-	-
Net movement in funds		S19	15,071	-	-	15,071	- 6,062
Total funds brought forward		S20	348,864	-	-	348,864	354,926
Total funds carried forward		S21	363,935	-	-	363,935	348,864

Section B Balance sheet

		Note	Unrestricted funds £ F01	Restricted income funds £ F02	Endowment funds £ F03	Total this year £ F04	Total last year £ F05
Fixed assets							
Tangible assets (Note 9)	B01		16,221	-	-	16,221	21,628
	B02		-	-	-	-	-
Investments (Note 10)	B03		-	-	-	-	-
Total fixed assets	B04		16,221	-	-	16,221	21,628
Current assets							
Stock and work in progress	B05		-	-	-	-	-
Debtors (Note 11)	B06		-	-	-	-	-
(Short term) investments	B07		-	-	-	-	-
Cash at bank and in hand	B08		347,714	-	-	347,714	327,236
Total current assets	B09		347,714	-	-	347,714	327,236
Creditors: amounts falling due within one year (Note 12)	B10		-	-	-	-	-
Net current assets/(liabilities)	B11		347,714	-	-	347,714	327,236
Total assets less current liabilities	B12		363,935	-	-	363,935	348,864
Creditors: amounts falling due after one year (Note 12)	B13		-	-	-	-	-
Provisions for liabilities and charges	B14		-	-	-	-	-
Net assets	B15		363,935	-	-	363,935	348,864
Funds of the Charity							
Unrestricted funds	B16		363,935			363,935	348,864
	B17		-			-	-
Restricted income funds (Note 13)	B18			-		-	-
Endowment funds (Note 13)	B19				-	-	-
Total funds	B20		363,935	-	-	363,935	348,864
Signed by one or two trustees on behalf of all the trustees			Signature	Print Name	Date of approval		
				John R Patchett	30/6/2026		

Section C**Notes to the accounts****Note 1 Basis of preparation**

This section should be completed by all charities.

1.1 Basis of accounting

These accounts have been prepared on the basis of historic cost (except that investments are shown at market value) in accordance with:

- Accounting and Reporting by Charities – Statement of Recommended Practice (SORP 2005);
- and with*

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 Accounting Standards;
- or

 Financial Reporting Standards for Smaller Enterprises (FRSSE);
- and with the Charities Act.

[** except for the following].

Give details in this box if a different standard has been followed.

* -Tick as appropriate:

- if all relevant disclosures shown in the pack have been given then please tick "Accounting Standards";
- if disclosures completed in these accounts have been restricted to those required by the FRSSE, then please tick "Financial Reporting Standards for Smaller Enterprises (FRSSE)".

** - If no departures from the chosen standards have been made then delete these words; otherwise give details of any changes in the boxes.

1.2 Change in basis of accounting

There has been no change to the accounting policies (valuation rules and methods of accounting) since last year (§ except for the following).

Give details in this box of any material changes that have been made.

§ if no changes have been made to accounting policies then delete these words.

1.3 Changes to previous accounts

No changes have been made to accounts for previous years (§§ except for the following).

Give details in this box of any material changes that have been made.

Note 2 Accounting policies

This standard list of accounting policies has been applied by the charity except for those deleted. Where a different or additional policy has been adopted then this is detailed in the box below.

INCOMING RESOURCES

Recognition of incoming resources	These are included in the Statement of Financial Activities (SoFA) when: - the charity becomes entitled to the resources; - the trustees are virtually certain they will receive the resources; and - the monetary value can be measured with sufficient reliability.
Incoming resources with related expenditure	Where incoming resources have related expenditure (as with fundraising or contract income) the incoming resources and related expenditure are reported gross in the SoFA.
Grants and donations	Grants and donations are only included in the SoFA when the charity has unconditional entitlement to the resources.
Tax reclaims on donations and gifts	Incoming resources from tax reclaims are included in the SoFA at the same time as the gift to which they relate.
Contractual income and performance related grants	This is only included in the SoFA once the related goods or services have been delivered.
Gifts in kind	Gifts in kind are accounted for at a reasonable estimate of their value to the charity or the amount actually realised. Gifts in kind for sale or distribution are included in the accounts as gifts only when sold or distributed by the charity. Gifts in kind for use by the charity are included in the SoFA as incoming resources when receivable.
Donated services and facilities	These are only included in incoming resources (with an equivalent amount in resources expended) where the benefit to the charity is reasonably quantifiable, measurable and material. The value placed on these resources is the estimated value to the charity of the service or facility received.
Volunteer help	The value of any voluntary help received is not included in the accounts but is described in the trustees' annual report.
Investment income	This is included in the accounts when receivable.
Investment gains and losses	This includes any gain or loss on the sale of investments and any gain or loss resulting from revaluing investments to market value at the end of the year.

EXPENDITURE AND LIABILITIES

Liability recognition	Liabilities are recognised as soon as there is a legal or constructive obligation committing the charity to pay out resources.
Governance costs	Include costs of the preparation and examination of statutory accounts, the costs of trustee meetings and cost of any legal advice to trustees on governance or constitutional matters.
Grants with performance conditions	Where the charity gives a grant with conditions for its payment being a specific level of service or output to be provided, such grants are only recognised in the SoFA once the recipient of the grant has provided the specified service or output.
Grants payable without performance conditions	These are only recognised in the accounts when a commitment has been made and there are no conditions to be met relating to the grant which remain in the control of the charity.
Support Costs	Support costs include central functions and have been allocated to activity cost categories on a basis consistent with the use of resources, eg allocating property costs by floor areas, or per capita, staff costs by the time spent and other costs by their usage.

ASSETS

Tangible fixed assets for use by charity	These are capitalised if they can be used for more than one year, and cost at least £500. They are valued at cost or a reasonable value on receipt.
Investments	Investments quoted on a recognised stock exchange are valued at market value at the year end. Other investment assets are included at trustees' best estimate of market value.
Stocks and work in progress	These are valued at the lower of cost or market value.

**POLICIES ADOPTED
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ABOVE**

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Note 3 Analysis of incoming resources

Incoming resources may be further analysed if this would help the reader of the accounts.

	Analysis	This year £	Last year £
Voluntary income	Funding	-	5,000
	Donations	40,696	31,359
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
	Total	40,696	36,359
Activities for generating funds	PC recycling	-	2,100
	PC reuse	62,133	30,642
	Other	424	1,198
		-	-
		-	-
	Total	62,557	33,940
Investment income	Bank interest	3,543	4,738
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
	Total	3,543	4,738
Incoming resources from charitable activities		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
	Total	-	-

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Note 4 Analysis of resources expended

Resources expended may be further analysed if this would help the reader of the accounts.

	Analysis	This year £	Last year £
Costs of generating voluntary income		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
	Total	-	-
Fundraising trading costs	Transportation / shipping	22,916	9,594
	Depreciation	5,407	5,407
	Premises	27,662	22,386
	Staff related costs	10,645	13,000
	Other inc operations and marketing costs	25,095	30,712
	Total	91,725	81,099
Investment management costs		-	-
		-	-
	Total	-	-
Charitable activities		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
		-	-
	Total	-	-
Governance costs		-	-
		-	-
	Total	-	-

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Note 5 Support Costs

Please complete this note if the charity has analysed its expenses using activity categories and has support costs.

Support cost type	Fundraising activity £	Charitable Activity £	Governance Activity £	Total Cost £
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-

Note 6 Details of certain items of expenditure

6.1 Trustee expenses

Please provide details of the amount of any payment or reimbursement of out-of-pocket expenses made to trustees or to third parties for expenses incurred by trustees. If no expenses were paid, please enter 'None' in the appropriate box(es).

Number of trustees who were paid expenses

Nature of the expenses

Total amount paid

This year	Last year
0	0
None	None
£	£

6.2 Fees for examination or audit of the accounts

Please provide details of the amount paid for any statutory external scrutiny of accounts and other services provided by your independent examiner or auditor. If nothing was paid please enter NONE in the appropriate box(es).

Independent examiner's or auditors' fees for reporting on the accounts

Other fees (for example: advice, consultancy, accountancy services) paid to the independent examiner or auditor

This year £	Last year £

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Note 7 **Paid employees**
Please complete this note if the charity has any employees.

7.1 Staff Costs

	This year £	Last year £
Gross wages, salaries and benefits in kind	9,740	11,895
Employer's National Insurance costs	905	1,105
Pension costs	-	-
Total staff costs	10,645	13,000

7.2 Average number of full-time equivalent employees in the year

	This year Number	Last year Number
The parts of the charity in which the employees work		
Fundraising	-	-
Charitable Activities	-	-
Governance	-	-
Other	0.5	0.5
Total	0.5	0.5

7.3 Defined contribution pension scheme

Please complete if a defined contribution pension scheme is operated.

Brief details of the scheme

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	This year £	Last year £
The costs of the scheme to the charity for the year		
The amount of any contributions outstanding at the year end		
The amount of any contributions prepaid at the year end		

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Note 8 Grantmaking

Please complete this note if the charity made any grants or donations which in aggregate form a material part of the charitable activities undertaken.

8.1 Total value of grants

Purpose for which grants made	Grants to institutions Total amount £	Grants to individuals Total amount £
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
	-	-
Total	-	-

8.1 Grantmaking costs

If the charity's accounts are prepared on the "activity basis" please give details of any support cost associated with grantmaking. Please enter "Nil" if the charity does not identify and/or allocate support costs.

Support costs of grantmaking

£

8.3 Grants made to institutions

If the charity has made grants to particular institutions that are material in the context of its grantmaking please give details of the institution supported, purpose of the grant and total paid to each institution listed. Sufficient information should be given to provide a reasonable understanding of the range of institutions supported.

Names of institutions	Purpose	Total amount of grants paid £
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
		-
Total grants to institutions		-

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Note 9 **Tangible fixed assets**
Please complete this note if the charity has any tangible fixed assets

9.1 Cost or valuation

	Freehold land & buildings	Other land & buildings	Plant, machinery and motor vehicles	Fixtures, fittings and equipment	Payments on account and assets under construction	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Balance brought forward	-	-	41,635	-	-	41,635
Additions	-	-	-	-	-	-
Revaluations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers *	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance carried forward	-	-	41,635	-	-	41,635

9.2 Accumulated depreciation and impairment provisions

**Basis	SL or RB	SL or RB	SL	SL or RB	SL or RB
** Rate			20%		

Balance brought forward	-	-	20,007	-	-	20,007
Depreciation charge for year	-	-	5,407	-	-	5,407
Impairment provisions	-	-	-	-	-	-
Revaluations	-	-	-	-	-	-
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers*	-	-	-	-	-	-
Balance carried forward	-	-	25,414	-	-	25,414

9.3 Net book value

Brought forward	-	-	21,628	-	-	21,628
Carried forward	-	-	16,221	-	-	16,221

9.4 Revaluation

If any fixed assets have been revalued please give details of the valuer and method of valuation

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* The "transfers" row is for movements between fixed asset categories.

** Please indicate the method of depreciation by deleting the method not applicable (SL = straight line; RB = reducing balance). Also please indicate the rate of depreciation: for straight line, what is the anticipated life of the asset (in years); for reducing balance, what is the percentage annual deduction.

Section C**Notes to the accounts****(cont)****Note 10 Investment assets**

Please complete this note if the charity has any investment assets.

10.1 Fixed assets investments

	£
Carrying (market) value at beginning of year	-
Add: additions to investments at cost	-
Less: disposals at carrying value	-
Add/(deduct): net gain/(loss) on revaluation	-
Carrying (market) value at end of year	-

Please provide below:

10.2 A breakdown of the market values of investments shown above agreeing with the balance sheet row B03.

10.3 A breakdown of the income from investments agreeing with SOFA row S03.

Analysis of investments

	10.2 Market value at year end £	10.3 Income from investments for the year £
Investment properties	-	-
Investments listed on a recognised stock exchange or held in common investment funds, open ended investment companies, unit trusts or other collective investment schemes	-	-
Investments in subsidiary or connected undertakings and companies	-	-
Securities not listed on a recognised Stock Exchange	-	-
Cash held as part of the investment portfolio	-	-
Other investments	-	-
Total	-	-

10.4 Material investment holdings

If any single investment is material in terms of its value (for example represents more than 5 per cent of the value of the charity's total investments) please provide details.

Investment held	
Market Value	

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Note 11 Debtors and prepayments

Please complete this note if the charity has any debtors or prepayments.

Analysis of debtors

Trade debtors
 Amounts due from subsidiary and associated undertakings
 Other debtors
 Prepayments and accrued income

Total

Amounts falling due within one year		Amounts falling due after more than one year	
This year £	Last year £	This year £	Last year £
-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-

Note 12 Creditors and accruals

Please complete this note if the charity has any creditors or accruals.

12.1 Analysis of creditors

Loans and overdrafts
 Trade creditors
 Amounts due to subsidiary and associated undertakings
 Other creditors
 Accruals and deferred income

Total

Amounts falling due within one year		Amounts falling due after more than one year	
This year £	Last year £	This year £	Last year £
-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-

12.2 Security over assets

If any loan, overdraft or other creditor holds a charge or other security over any assets of the charity please provide details.

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Note 13 **Endowment and restricted income funds**

Please complete this section if the charity has any endowment or restricted income funds.

13.1 Funds held

Please give a brief description of any of the following type of funds held by the charity:

- permanent endowment funds (PE);
- expendable endowment funds (EE); and
- restricted income funds, including special trusts, of the charity (R).

Fund Name	Type PE, EE or R	Purpose and Restrictions

13.2 Movements of major funds

Please give details of the movements of the major funds summarised in the restricted and endowment columns of the Statement of Financial Activities.

Fund names	Fund balances brought forward £	Incoming resources £	Outgoing resources £	Transfers £	Gains and losses £	Fund balances carried forward £
	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Funds	-	-	-	-	-	-

13.3 Transfers between funds

Please give details of any transfers between funds.

From Fund (Name)	To Fund (Name)	Reason	Amount

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Note 14 Transactions with related parties

If the charity has any transactions with related parties (other than the trustee expenses explained in note 6) details of such transactions should be provided in this note. If there are no transactions to report, please enter "None" in the relevant boxes.

14.1 Remuneration and benefits

Please give the amount of, and legal authority for, any remuneration or other benefits paid to a trustee or other related parties by the charity or any institution or company connected with it.

Name of trustee or connected party	Legal authority (eg order, governing document)	Amounts paid or benefit value	
		This year £	Last year £

14.2 Loans

Please give details of and amounts owing to or from the charity's trustees or other related parties by the charity at the year end.

	Name of trustee or connected party	Legal authority	Amount owing	
			This year £	Last year £
Due to trustees and related parties				
Due from trustees and related parties				

14.3 Other transaction(s) with trustees or related parties

Please give details of any transaction undertaken by (or on behalf of) the charity in which a trustee or related party has a material interest.

Name of the trustee or related party	Relationship to charity	Description of the transaction(s)	This year £	Last year £

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Note 15	Additional Disclosures
The following are significant matters which are not covered in other notes and need to be included to provide a proper understanding of the accounts. If there is insufficient room here, please add a separate sheet.	

APPENDIX 3



		Independent examiner's report on the accounts						v2
Report to the trustees/members of	Charity name	Reusing IT						
	Registered charity number	SC037716						
On the accounts of the charity for the period	Period start date				Period end date			
	Day	Month	Year		Day	Month	Year	
	01	11	2024	to	31	10	2025	
Set out on pages							(remember to include the page numbers of additional sheets)	
Respective responsibilities of trustees and examiner	The charity's trustees are responsible for the preparation of the accounts in accordance with the terms of the Charities and Trustee Investment (Scotland) 2005 Act and the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. The charity trustees consider that the audit requirement of Regulation 10(1) (d) of the Accounts Regulations does not apply. It is my responsibility to examine the accounts as required under section 44(1) (c) of the Act and to state whether particular matters have come to my attention.							
Basis of independent examiner's statement	My examination is carried out in accordance with Regulation 11 of the Charities Accounts (Scotland) Regulations 2006. An examination includes a review of the accounting records kept by the charity and a comparison of the accounts presented with those records. It also includes consideration of any unusual items or disclosures in the accounts and seeks explanations from the trustees concerning any such matters. The procedures undertaken do not provide all the evidence that would be required in an audit and, consequently, I do not express an audit opinion on the accounts.							
Independent examiner's statement	In the course of my examination, no matter has come to my attention [other than that disclosed on the attached page*] - which gives me reasonable cause to believe that in any material respect the requirements: - to keep accounting records in accordance with section 44(1) (a) of the 2005 Act and Regulation 4 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations, and - to prepare accounts which accord with the accounting records and comply with Regulation 9 of the 2006 Accounts Regulations have not been met, or - to which, in my opinion, attention should be drawn in order to enable a proper understanding of the accounts to be reached.							
Signed:					Date:	02/07/26		
Name:	Craig Pratt							
Relevant professional qualification(s) or body (if any):	CIMA							
Address:	2 Clive Street							
	Dundee							
	DD4 7AW							

*Please delete the words in the brackets if they do not apply. If the words do apply, set out those matters which have come to your attention on the following page.

APPENDIX 3

Disclosure section

Only complete if the examiner needs to highlight material problems.

**Give here brief details of
any items that the
examiner wishes to
disclose**

Registered Number SC310955

REUSING IT

Micro-entity Accounts

31 October 2025

Micro-entity Balance Sheet as at 31 October 2025

	<i>Notes</i>	<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>
		£	£
Fixed Assets		16,221	21,628
Current Assets		347,714	327,236
Net current assets (liabilities)		<u>347,714</u>	<u>327,236</u>
Total assets less current liabilities		<u>363,935</u>	<u>348,864</u>
Total net assets (liabilities)		<u>363,935</u>	<u>348,864</u>
Reserves		<u>363,935</u>	<u>348,864</u>

- For the year ending 31 October 2025 the company was entitled to exemption under section 477 of the Companies Act 2006 relating to small companies.
- The members have not required the company to obtain an audit in accordance with section 476 of the Companies Act 2006.
- The directors acknowledge their responsibilities for complying with the requirements of the Companies Act 2006 with respect to accounting records and the preparation of accounts.
- The accounts have been prepared in accordance with the micro-entity provisions and delivered in accordance with the provisions applicable to companies subject to the small companies regime.

Approved by the Board on 6 July 2026

And signed on their behalf by:

Ross Cockburn, Director

John Patchett, Director

Notes to the Micro-entity Accounts for the period ended 31 October 2025

1	Employees		
		<i>2025</i>	<i>2024</i>
	Average number of employees during the period	1	1

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